UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA

Keven Saunders, Tony Moy, Eric Orman, Michael Barylski, and Grant Moellering, individually and on behalf of others similarly situated,

Civil No. 05-1437 (DWF/JSM)

Plaintiff,

v. ORDER

Ace Mortgage Funding, Incorporation, and Richard M. Hall,

Defendants.

Michele R. Fisher, Esq., Paul J. Lukas, Esq., Donald H. Nichols, Esq., and Rachhana T. Srey, Esq., Nichols Kaster & Anderson PLLP; and Marguerite M. Longoria, Esq., and Sam J. Smith, Esq., Burr & Smith, LLP, counsel for Plaintiffs.

R. Anthony Prather, Esq., and Shannon M. Shaw, Esq., Barnes & Thornburg, LLP; and Robert R. Reinhart, Esq., Dorsey & Whitney, LLP, counsel for Defendants.

The above-entitled matter came before the undersigned United States District Court Judge on October 17, 2005, pursuant to a Motion for Conditional Certification, Judicial Notice, an Equitable Tolling brought by Plaintiffs Keven Saunders, Tony Moy, Eric Orman, Michael Barylski, and Grant Moellering, individually and on behalf of others similarly situtated, ("Plaintiffs"), and a Motion to Transfer brought by Defendants Ace Mortgage Funding, Incorporation, and Richard M. Hall ("Defendants"). In their Complaint, Plaintiffs allege violations of the Fair Labor Standards Act ("FLSA"), 29 U.S.C. §§ 201, et seq.

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The Court denies Defendants' Motion to Transfer and will send Judicial Notice to the putative

class members. In the interest of justice, the Court will send the notice as soon as possible in order to

minimize prejudice to potential class members who may be precluded from joining the lawsuit under the

statute of limitations. The Court has attached a Proposed Judicial Notice that the Plaintiffs may send on

or after Tuesday, November 9, 2005. If there are objections to the content of the notice, the parties

should submit objections in writing by Friday, November 5, 2005. A memorandum opinion and order

will follow.

Accordingly, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. Defendants' Motion to Transfer (Doc. No. 29) is **DENIED**;

2. Plaintiffs' Motion for Conditional Certification, Judicial Notice, and Equitable Tolling

(Doc. No. 12) is **GRANTED** in part and **DENIED** in part.

Dated: October 31, 2005

s/Donovan W. Frank

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Judge of United States District Court

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